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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of :  
Naoto YUMIKI :  
Application No.: Not yet assigned : Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned  
Filed: September 19, 2006 : Examiner: Not yet assigned  
For: IMAGING DEVICE :

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.